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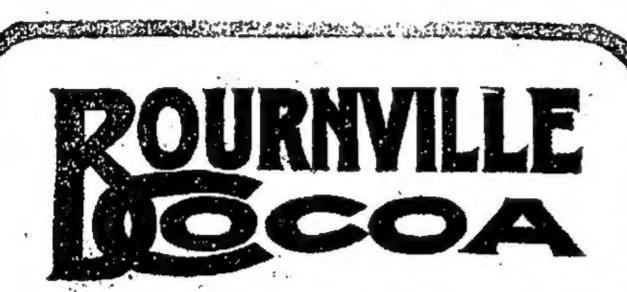
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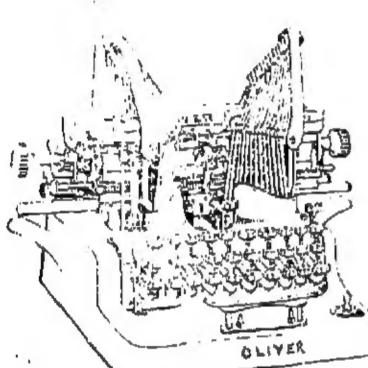
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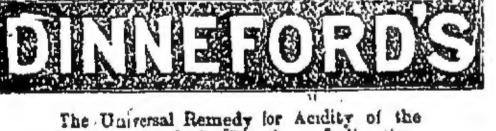
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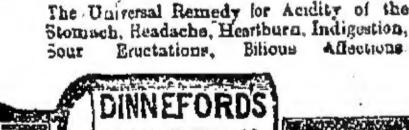
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Sir Percival is said to have added that the money market in England was much easier now than it had been, the rate of 2123 interest of the Bank of England having gone down to 3 per cent. While this might facilitate the floating of loans, he warned his heavers that the pre-Japanese feeling which prevailed in England after the Russo-Japanese War had now entirely disappeared, and he thought the importation of English money into Japan for inat the present movement. On the other Dividends. hand the successful issue of Government bonds and the flotation of loans guaranteed by the Government might not be such a difficult matter. It would, he thought, be almost impossible to float a private loan without Government guarantee. Yet he quite realised the extreme financial depression in Japan and the urgent necessity of importing foreign lish capitalists.

quaintance of Sir Percival it is stated in one of the Japanese papers that Mr King, ber, 1907, declaring a Dividend and electing described as a director and Chief Secretors of the Bark of England, who has tary of the Bank of England, who has been assisting Mr Wakatsuki, Japanese financial agent in London, in contradicting "unfounded ridiculous rumours," which may be circulated about Japan in England, will use all his energies towards paving the way for the exportation of English money to Japan. (There is no one of the name of King either on the list of directors of the Bank of England or among the chief officials, the Secretary's name being Grahame.) The same journal remarks that there are not a fow instances in which negotiations for (Continued on Page 3.)

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clety will be CLOSED from 13th April, to the 23rd April, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board.

Hongkong, March 26, 1908. THE OHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE

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TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FORTY SECOND ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, Queen's Buildings, Hong-kong, on THURSDAY, the 23rd April, 1908, at 12.30 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts to dustrial purposes would be very difficult Sist Décember, 1907, and of declaring

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C. MONTAGUE EDE, Hongkong, March 27, 1998.

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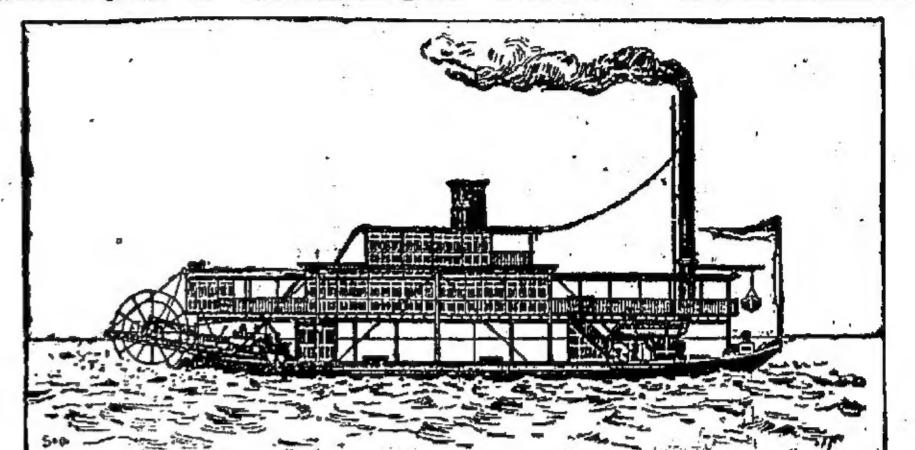
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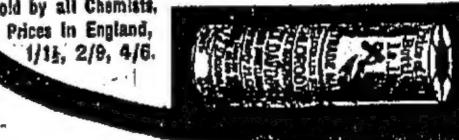
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Moeting. 2.15 p.m.—Meeting of His Majesty's Justices of Peace at the Magistracy.

Miscellaneous. Goods per Chazee undelivered after this date subject to rent.

#### General Memoranda.

Toraday, April 14 :--2.30 p.m. - Auction of Household Farniture. &c., at 'Ladbroke,' 9, Conduit Goods per Yorck undelivered after this

date subject to rent. WEDNINDAY, April 15:3 p.m.—Auction of Motor Launch Marourite, at Ah King's Blipway. John's Cathedral.

FRIDAY, April 17 :--Exchange Banks Closed.

BATURDAY, April 18:-Transfer Books of Green Island Coment Co., Ld., close from this date to 25th April, inclusive.

WEDNESDAY, April 22:-

at Club House. THURSDAY, April 23:-ciety of Canton, Ld., at Head Office.

12.30p.m.-Meeting of China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld., at Head Office. Baturday, April 25 :11 a.m. - Meeting of Green Island Cement
Co., Ld., at Messra Shewan, Tomes &

12.30 p.m.—Meeting of Hongkong Joe-key Club, at the Hongkong Club SATURDAY, May 30 :-

NOTICE.

Office of Colonial Secretary.

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### The China Mail.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 1908.

THE TYPHOON REFUGE.

WASH- THERE can be no guinsaying the fact that His Excellency the Governor will that a lamentable amount of delay has reconsider the method of raising the For beautifying and preserving occurred in taking steps to provide a money to meet the expense of providing in public questions in Calcurta, and that so new typhoon refuge. That the present the Colony's floating population with refuge is inadequate has been known adequate refuge from typhoons. for years and was brought home to the Colony is a very painful manner by the Great Typhoon of 1906. While signs of the devastation wrought by that diworked in Mindango waters by Captain sastrous storm were still to be seen in Navigation Company's steamer Tsinan. every direction the public was assured that no time would be lost in preparing plans for a new shelter. The detailed a single chlisted follower or other nonestimate for a breakwater at Mongkok. tsui, to enclose 166 acres of sheltered water, has at last been prepared. The new refuge is to cost \$1,540,000. To Yeuk Fong meet this large expenditure the Governpurposes. The owners are at present ment proposes to impose a special tax | unknown. on shipping until half the cost of the new shelter and improvements of the existing one at Causeway Bay, has been quarter of 1908 are payable in advance on or before April 30. It anyone fails to pay received. The Chamber of Commerce Fre- has stated that it is strongly of opinion taken immediately by the Government. up hefore this date proceedings will be quent Orders are received that a less costly scheme should be from Great Britain, Europe, undertaken. Obviously that attitude is criticised the proposed Bill to amend the i.e. 8 till 9 a.m. All the outgoing mails business and pleasure must ultimately confor with the Colonial Secretary and the Colony's finances. This is a time for Director of Public Works to endeavour to rigid economy and if the scheme which evolve a workable Ordinance so-far as the technical parts of the Bill are concorned. was submitted to the Chamber of Commerce is susceptible of modification we cases of dynamite were seized by the trust that the Government will make such modification. If not, it must be board a China Merchanta steamer. It has gone on with. We need the shelter. been discovered that the consignor is The policy of paying for permanent works out of revenue is in Hong- of the mon has been discovered. kong held to be almost sacred and the consequence is that we have to go.

time for those we do get. This condi-

tion of things is likely to prevail until

Colonies have borrowed heely to carry

out the public works which

live is altered. The greatself-governing the action of the millowners in raising

their the supply of water to their mills.

not done so they would never have become great. In the present instance the Manmouth arrived to-day. Government requires, roughly £160,000 If that amount were borrowed in Englandat four per cent. it would cost the resulted. Colony £6,400 per annum for interest. A sinking fund of £5,300 per annum | Supreme Court will be held on Wednesday. would provide for the repayment of the loan in thirty years. The payment of £12,000 per annum would involve no strain upon the Colony 5.30 p.m.-Handel's Messiah, in St. but the provision of an additional £160,000 in three or four years would be a very serious burden. Every business concarn when it requires money for development purposes borrows it either from its own shareholders 5.15 p.m. - Meetings of Hongkong Club or by means of debentures. We entirely I fail to see why what is acknowledged Noon-Meeting of Union Insurance So- to be a sound financial expedient when adopted by private concerns should be many and the United States ask Japan to considered dangerous if applied to the business of a Colony. We are aware that many self-governing Colonies have loyel, honest, and self-sacrificing religious over-horrowed but this is not a proof that borrowing is pernicious in itself. Viceroy of India. Though a British King killed himself by eating too many lamproys this has never been accepted as proof that assisted by a number of friends, will give welcome. lampreys are unsuitable as food. In the case under discussion we are not awan what view the Chamber of Commerce expressed in regard to the the death of Cheung Kam Tsun who died Correspondents must forward their names proposal to increase the taxation on shipping. We should suppose, however that they would regard such a policy that has found most acceptance and has met with most success in Hongkong has been to make the burden upon trade and shipping as light

as possible. Sir John Bowring is one of

fiscal vexations and exactions, I trust

no custom-house machinery will ever

be introduced, either for the collection

of tariff or barbour dues or for any pur-

the port nor the free transfer of commo-

dities from hand to hand. " The belief

years ago is as strongly held to-day

by those who know wherein the real

LOCAL AND GENERAL

A fleet of pearling luggers is to be

During the recent operations in the

The Government notifies that it

Owners and occupiers of tenements

Next Wednesday the architects who

A Northern despatch says fourteer

re reminded that rates for the second

All letters for publication should be written suggestion with very little favour. The of the Supreme Court will be open from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily. The vacation offices will be entirely closed.

Friday, April 17. (Good Friday) and Monday, April 20 (Easter Monday) are to his despatches wrote: Believing that be observed as public holidays. Saturday, the 18th inst., will also be observed as a public holiday throughout the Government Departments, except the Police Magistrates Department:

A variety concert will be given at the Bollevue Hotel on Monday evening at 8.30 for 9 o'clock. The entertainment is a benefit for Mr and Mrs Carl Rozello, whose troope performed on Saturday list at the Hotel. As the prices are low there should pose which may check the free ingress be a good attendance.

and egress of all shipping to and from The United States Senate has passed the house bill apprepriating \$403,000.19 to be paid the Archbishop of Manila, the that Sir John Bowring professed fifty expenses of this sum to be in full satisfaction of all claims, use, and occupation of the property of the church in the islands and for damages thereto by the army prior

> selves sufficiently to enable the formation of a sound opinion." If Hongkong were few days a great many of these persons substituted for Calcutta in that sentence

locally to T. O. Kent, Chemist, of London, them, but nevertheless a good profit was Lindbergh, formerly master of the China for an invention for process for treating made by these charm-sollers. Their luck, tar for the elimination of water and ro- however, is not a lasting one. The Police covery of volatile products therefrom, and Department came to know of it and an to T. Heffernan, of Kensington, for an order has been issued to place all such per-Bazar Valley against the Zakka Khels not invention for improvements in capsules to sons under arrest if they are still found tion for the suppression of anarchism. prevent bottles from being fraudulently pursuing their illegal occupation. fighting man was killed or wounded by the refilled.

The C.P.R. liner Empress of China is has made an excellent passage from the Calcutta contemporary, came to life on the about to resume Lot 398 in Survey District East to America, and has delivered her night of February 28, in Depot Lines, carge of silk in New York in 26 days from Karachi, in the shape of a three-legged Hongkong and 19 from Yokohama. This chicken, one of a batch of ten. The little is rapid going, and a feat the Company thing has a perfectly shaped leg, toos, should be proud of. The steamer left here talons and all, attached to the backbone on March 12 and arrived at Vancouver at 9 p.m. on the 29th, the silk being delivered in New York on April 7.

Customs on the 17th March at Tientsia, on Madamo la Comtesse de Beam, arrived Cantonese named Fung, and although port this morning from the Straits investigations are being instituted no trace | Settlements. The yacht is built on hand-A liw suit, which has been in progress owner and a party of six. Shortly after since the year 1439, between the local arrival visits were paid by Admiral Sir without many things which are de- authority of Friemar, suburb of Goths, and Hedworth Lambton and others. The eirable and to wait an inordinately long certain millowners in a neighbouring party will proceed to Canton and later village, has been amically settled, after 478 years of constant litigation. The

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL

Both H. M. S. Astroca and H. M. S.

During February 1,520 cases of plague occurred in Burma. In 1,431 cases death

The next Criminal Sessions of the

It has now been decided to revise the coinage system of Manchuria and the silver dollar will be used as the standard.

April 22, at 10 o'clock.

The troopship "Northbrook" left Taku on night of 9th instant, and may be expected here on or about 14th instant.

Mr J. H. Kemp sent a coolie to prison at the Magistracy, this morning, for two months without the option of a fine, for unlawfully breaking and entering a house.

"tote fair " in Manchuria. "It is to the early inculcation of spirit that we must look for the successful upbringing of coming generations."-The

Choir of St. Peter's Scamen's Church. a rendering of the musical Cantata "From Olivet to Calvary."

An inquiry was held before Mr Kemp at the Magistracy, this morning, touching the previous afternoon while confined in prison for debt. Death was due to natural

commences on April 17 and concludes on April 23. On the public helidays the

interests of the Colony lie. We hope to January 15, 1906. The "Friend of India" remarks: "It few men take the trouble to inform them-

its truth would not be impaired.

Friday the 17th, and Monday the 20th instant being Public Holidays, the will be closed at 9 a.m. The English and | work havor with the Chinese cutlery trade, American mails will be closed on Saturday is the astonishing conclusion which must the 18th instant as usual. The Post Office follow any contemplated shelving of the will be closed at 1 p.m. There will be one horse in favor of the more modern auxidelivery and a collection of letters each liary of transportation. One of the conday as on Sundays. The Money Order Office will be entirely dosed.

The private yacht Nirvana, owned by some lines, and is rich in appointments, The party on board consist of the fair will voyage to Japan. It is probable that the Comtesse will leave the yacht at Yokolama and proceed to the continent

without authorisation the height of a dam THE many commandable features Stearns Hendache Cure make iteasily in the liver Nesse, in order to increase the superior of all such preparations. Sure, harmiss, easy to take.

#### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

During the absence on leave of Dr Bateson Wright, Mr T. K. Dealy will act as Headmaster of Queen's College.

Mr W. H. Williams has been appointed 2nd Lieutenant in the Cadet Company attached to the Hongkeng Volunteer Corps.

A very pleasant evening was spont at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association, Alexandra Buildings, last night, when the first social ovening held in connection with the Literary and Debating Club became au fait accompli. The attendance was large, the programme excellent and all arrangements were in perfect order. Mrs J. W. Kew sang "The Huah Soug," and with Mr Ayris, "Oh, that we two were Maying," in her usual accomplished style and each time w recalled for an encore. Mr Genzales' selections on the violin were exceedingly well received, and in addition to playing the "Scene de Ballet" and Drdla's "Serenade," Mr Gonzales had to give two extras. Mr spring. Characteristic American newspaper Ayris sang "I gave you Roses" with good comment : China seems to be getting into effect, and there were four other items, the game by gently suggesting that Ger- two part songs--"Annie Laurie" and Dreaming "-" Down where the Cotton Blossoms grow" and "In the heart of the Mighty Deep," by a double quartette. In the last-mentioned item Mr Claxten took the solo part. The success of the entertainment should encourage the promoters to further efforts. On Monday, April 27, at 9 pm. a debate on the vexed question of "Should bachelon be taxed" will be On Good Friday evening at 5.30 the held in the Y.M.C.A. rooms, and ladies are invited to attend; gentlemen are always

### SEIZED GUNPOWDER,

Not Smuggled Goods.

(From Our Correspondent.)

CANTON, April 10. I wrote sometime back that a quantity if smokeless gun-pewder, weighing 300 picula, was seized by the Chinese authorities near Pakhoi, and several persons were arrested. These persons, of whom a man named Su is the head, were arraigned before the Prefect of Limchow on a charge of smuggling arms and munitions the other day. In his evidence Su stated that the quantity of smokeless gun-powder was looted from a foreign vessel which was wrecked upon the coast of Annam. There was a still-larger quantity of munitions to be obtainable from the villagers. purchased the 300 picula of smokeless gunpowder from the neighbouring villagers on account of a man named Chan Kas Yea who had been previously informed that munitions were precurable from the villagers. He was surprised when he was

arrested on a charge of smuggling. The Prefect seems to have every confidence in the evidence of the accused. The case was adjourned to allow of further

#### CHARM SELLING.

Business Blocked this Season.

(From Our Correspondent.)

CANTON, April 10. As a rule during the plague seasons natives who cannot afford to get a decent sufferings of those afflicted with the living resort to cheating in x rious methods and sell false medicines. During the past were about the town selling charms which the ignorant mass of people were made to believe were plague preventives. Some of Letters Patent have been granted the enlightened class of course did not buy

> A curious freak of nature, reports a protruding at the tail. The little fellow is quite lively and seems not a bit inlive, it will be a natural curiosity indeed.

A New York paper says : That the unstantly growing imports into the province of Shantung, China, is scrap iron consisting largely of old horseshoes, So. great is the demand for this material that a recent single shipment of 300 tons was not considered at all extraordinary. The knife and tool makers all over the province use the metal in making their waros, claiming that it has a peculiar tempor due to the constant beating it receives under the horses feet, which it impossible to obtain in any other way.

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#### KING'S ALLEGED MISTAKE.

CAPTIOUS CRITICS CONFOUNDED.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, via Bombay.)

LONDON, April 10. The daily papers now announce that the visit of King Edward to Biarritz was undertaken solely in conformity with the strong opinion of His Majesty'smedical advisers that it was essential for him to leave England owing to the repeated attacks of influenza which. His

NEW PRIME MINISTER

Majesty suffers from each successive

#### DEPARTS FOR LONDON.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter,

via Bombay.

LONDON, April 10. The Prime Minister, Mr Asquith, had two short interviews with His Majesty the King at Biarritz yesterday in connection with the reconstruction of

the Cabinet. Mr Asquith has started on the return journey to London.

[REUTIE'S SERVICE. FRANCE AND ENGLAND.

International Courtesies.

LONDON, April 9. President Fallieres will be accompaniek on his visit to London by M. Pichon and M. Clemenceau, practically the whole cabinet, constituting a visit of a ruling Power to a foreign country, altogether unparalleled. The Paris Council is coming bodily to inaugurate their Pavilion Exhibition.

TELEGRAPHISTS' STRIKE.

Indian Service Dislocated.

LONDON, April 9. The bulk of the Indian telegraphists have struck, and the accumulation of messages is enormous; the few operators who remain attend to urgent and prese

THE SLEEPING SICKNESS.

LONDON, April 9. The Governor of Uganda has issued a warm appeal for funds to alleviate the sleeping sickness. It is estimated that

there are over 20,000 under treatment,

AMERICA AND ANARCHISM

Roosevelt takes Action. LONDON, April 9. President Roosevelt has sent a special Message to Congress, asking for legisla-

### A CHINESE ASSEMBLY

DEMANDED.

(From Our Correspondent.) CANTON, April 10. As the result of the settlement by the Waiwopu of the Tatsu Maru II case the Self-Government society, in reponse to representations from similar associations at Shanglani and elsewhere, will meet toconvenienced by its abnormality. Should it morrow for the purpose of joining other provinces in a memorial to the Throne demanding the immediate creation of a national assembly. Shanghai has already consented to approach the Peking Governiversal adoption of the motor vehicle for ment in the matter conjointly. The proposed memorial will be put before the meeting and something lively is expected at to-morrow's meeting.

#### ONLY A FENCE BETWEEN.

A stranger addressed the farmer's boy accross the fence : Young man, your corn looks kind o'

Yes, that's the kind we planted." Don't look as if you would get more than half a crop. "We don't expect to. The landlord gets the other half." Then, after a short time, the man said : "Boy, there isn't much difference be-

"Nope," replied the boy, "only the

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tween you and a fool."

#### "A BASKET OF FLOWERS."

#### Alleged To Have Been Stolen.

A coolio inthe employ of Mr D. R. Law, of Messra Butterfield and Swire appeared at the Magistracy, before Mr Wood, this morning, on a charge of having a basket of flowers unlawfully in his possession.

Mr Jackson appeared for the defence, P. Sergeant 107 stated that about 3 p.m. on the 4th inst. he saw defendant in Plantstion Road at the Peak carrying the basket of flowers, preduced. Witness asked him force where he had come from and he replied from the hillside, and pointed to a place above the Victoria Hospital. Witness had since visited the place and found there had been a lot of damage to other

you get any particular instructions from anyone to presecute with regard to these flowers ?- The ordinance gave me my instructions.

ehrubs.

It is a custom for coolies to go out and gather flowers on the hillside?-I am not aware of it.

Did the confictell you it was the custom?

-He told the detective. From what circumstances did you suspect the flowers to lave been stelen !- I suspacied they had been, and I charged him. He could buy them in the market?.

What value do you put on the flowers? -I don't know

Do you know you could not soal a duisy?

-No answer. A Chinese detective, who ms in company with the last witness, gare evidence as to seeing defendant with the basket of flowers, who replied to his questions that he had to pick flowers once a wack. When cautioned he said he picked thru on the

By Mr Jackson. How much could you huy the flowgre for? About 30 cents. If you had met me carring the flowers would you have seked me where I got

them! - Yes. Mr Stephen Dum wid the Government were just planting out those flowers and quantities but Chinese picked then whole wale and destioned the shrubs

By Mr Jackson: Did the Government post a notice to the European residents that picking flowers was prohibited ?- Not. that I am aware of.

one's possession must be stolen before they have also sgreed not to make remittances could convict and asked were wid thowers through Japanese Banks, private property /

The case was tried a week age, when I defendant was fined \$5, and a few days

#### RUSSIAN MILITARY ATTACHE.

#### Expected At Canton

(from Our Correspondent.) CANTON, April 19.

Consequent upon the presence here of a German military attache from the Legation at Peking, the Russian Minister has also expressed the desire of sonding a Russian military stucke down. The Military Department has received instructions from the Peking Government to make arrange-, ments to accord a reception to the Rassian military officer, similar to that accorded to the German offic r.

#### THE NEW HEJIRA.

The "Medical Record" has the follow. ing :- One Sunday, January 26, 1908-it is important to note the exact date, for neglect to do so when Mohammed moved to Medina from Mecca has been a cause of much acrimonious dispute in the Muslim world-the Rev. Mother Mrs Mary Baker G. Eddy, the "discoverer and founder of Chri-tian Science," as the press agent of the sect officially designates her, changed her domicile from Concord, N.H., to Boston, Mass. There is nothing especially worthy of comment in this, for Boston is a much more lively town than Concord, and it is not surprising to learn that Mrs. Eddy prefers to live there. But what is interesting is the fact that she took with her on the journey a practising physician, just as many other persons of advanced years, failing strength, and ample fortune are wont to do when travelling. It is well known that Science healers often keep a licensed physician within call to sign the death certificate when malicious animal magnetism gets the better of their demonstrations, but it is not likely that any of the Mother's companions was in danger from her ministrations during the brief journey. It is has traveled extensively in the Far East, being sufficient to meet the enormous whose shop is not many miles away from evident, therefore, that I s. Eddy took a proposed to the President that the physician along just as any other frailed that is to be returned to China from the standard are solved at that is to be returned to China from the standard are solved at that the standard are solved at that the standard are solved and the satisfactors are solved and the satisfactors are confident that the standard are solved and the satisfactors are solved as the satisfactors are solved as the satisfactors are solved and the satisfactors are solved as the satisfactors are solved and the satisfactors are solved as the satisfactors are solved and the satisfactors are solved as the satisfactor unwilling to take the chances of accident and sending students to delige of colleges, or sudden disease when surrounded only sitios. by a carful of her own foolish followers.

NEURALGIA AND SUIATICA CURED. THE great fain relieving power of Chamberlain's Pain Balm has been the surprise and delight of many sufferers from neuralgis and scintics. The excruciat-Ing pains characteristic of these diseases are quickly allayed by this liniment. For sale by all chemists and storekeepers.

#### THE BOYCOTT.

(From Our Correspondent.)

CANTON, April 10. As the result of repeated cablegrams from the Waiwupu to the Viceroy regarding the boycott, the native papers here are silent so far as the the word boycott is concerned. but they have adopted a very much stronger attitude in encouraging the movement of the National Disgrace Association which is, as a matter of fact, uring the continuance of the boycott indirectly and with greater

A handsome profit was made by an artisan who placed on the market a great number of fans engaved with the characters "National Disgrace." He was followed by many others and the great many articles bearing these two characters in the market · Cross examined by Mr Jackson: Did attract the most attention and draw a good many purchasers.

"National Disgrace" nurk matches are saleable everywhere in Canton.

#### The Self-Government Society And The European Press.

The following is the translation of a letter aldressed by the Canton Self-Government Society to Mr.J. K. Ohl of the "New York Herald " and a representative of the CHINA MAIL. who wrote to seek for an interview with Mr Chan Wai So, President of the Society : Sira-We have the honour to acknowledge your communication of yesterday. We have the greatest pleasure to hear that you desire to know something about the methods we have adopted in our retaliatory movement. We have pleasure also to respectfully wait upon you to-morrow at 2 o'clock in the after-

In the matter of the Tatsu Maru II case it is needless to say that the feelings of the whole nation are against the unsatisfactory settlement arrived at which is responsible for the retaliatory measures taken by the people in order to ease our national disgrace. The movement mainly aims at the development of our national industry, and our object is for the welfare of the Chinese Empire. The freedom with which we deal in business of course rests with us. These,

here have entered into an agreement to ses owned and conducted by the govern- patrolling Kislat, where the several Con- Free Church. After provision to Lady Mr Jackson submitted that the goods in accept no Japanese Bank notes. They

His Worship re-affirmed the previous ness but whether it is the result of the boycott it is unknown. It appears that some Japanese priests were travelling in later, Mr A. G. Jackson appeared before work and, as the report says, the local Luchow for the purpose of doing missionary Mr Wood and asked for a re-trial which authorities have been approached for permission to do the work there. The whose duties it would be to certify to the fact extremely liable to lead to an no permission has been given.

> Reports from Sunning state that the National Disgrace Association there is doing good work and already a movement is on foot for the formation of a ladies' National Disgrace Association in that city on similar lines to that in Canton.

Porcelain firms in Hongkong met yesterday and a resolution was passed joining the hoyentting movement.

We understand that Hongkong ' Government, through the General, has informed the native press in to the States, some about the North and the Colony to be very careful in what they a few around the world. sky with reference to the boycotting movement, which seems to be in full swing at

#### WEATHER REPORT,

The following notice is issued by Mr Figg of the Hongkong Observatory :-On the 11th at 11.45 a.-Barometric changes are slight. Pressure remains high over Shangtung, and relatively low over the 8. part of the China Sea

Moderate N.E. and E. winds may be expected in the Formosa Channel and the . part of the China Sea. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hores end ing at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches Forecast for the 24 hours onling at noon to-morrow.

FORECAST DISTRICT.

1.—Hongkong and Neighbourhood winds, moderate; fair. 2.—Formosa Channel : N.E. and winds, moderate. 3.—South cout of China between Hongkong and Lamocks: Same as No. 1. kong and Hainan : Same as No. 1.

#### SUGGESTS OHINESE COLLEGE. W. T. Ellis Wants President to Recommend Use for \$13,000,000

and sending students to American univer-Mr Roosevelt is said to have given tentative approval to the plan, if it could be sent forth practically. Ellis also called on Assistant Secretary of State Bacon and explained his proposal to that official.

DABY and grandfather can take Stearns' grave of my first wife." D Wine of Cod Liver Oil, because it is "But you are married again," we murdelicious and is aude for people with weak | mured. stomachs. Makes new blood and builds up

#### MANILA NEWS.

(From Our Correspondent.)

Maxita, April 11,

raised to the classic number of nine. trust that the inspiration of the muses,

grows apace, and an observatory is to be erected on a height, which is to be one of the most important weather bureaus in the Far East. Father Algue has the building in charge and his name is the foremest one, in our islands in earthquake observation, as well as other branches of the observator of the freaks of Nature.

most productive in good results in the which was arranged with a view to promote States. It has lifted from penury more and facilitate intercourse and traffic, is now than one would-be spend-thrift and has interpreted in a manner to prevent such the chance of nevelty and facility which traffic and veto the substitution of the iron appeals to the smaller depositor. As given rail for the cart trail and interdict a in the classification the Americans lend and noon. It is our misfortune, however, to 5,205, a fine showing for the few months that the protocol empowers the veto. mext the Flipinoes, making a total in all of

> a nominal rate as well rates of insurance that pines should fail to take advantage of their position in the East if it were not adopted. The details of the plan are now under consideration and he intends to recommend that a portion of the new made ground on the other side of the river from the present custom house he set aside for that purpose. The Assembly has adjourned for three

weeks needed vacation. There has been a more complete exedus from Manila this year of prominent citizens Registrar than ever before. Many of these have gone

> Among those to soon leave are Dr Rossiter and wife, the very popular Roast Beef of Swatow. It seems the of the second Earl of Huntly and the lower rates may be looked for in face of a Presbyterian clergyman whose ability butchers resented an attempt to compel Princess Jane, daughter of James I. advancement and in the rligious life makes his work very acceptable.

#### INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AT CANTON.

(From Our Correspondent.)

CANTON, April 10.

\$20,000 was appropriated for the purpose of creating a permanent centre for the are all Chinese I believe. exhibition of manufactured articles. The develop the industries of the Two Kwang. upon the departure of Vicercy Chow-fu indulgence in spiritual refreshments, the Recently the subject has been taken up Commissioner has thoughtfully provided a 4.—South coast of China between Hong- again by the authorities and every arrange. gig to take Customs men to Kakelnon on ment is being made to further the commercial Sundays for divine services. prospects of the two provinces. The mer-

#### A REASON FOR SADNESS.

One thin, pale man in the large bathing suit, standing knee-deep in the water sighed "Why?" we asked, "are you so sad?" "Alas," he answered, "the sea is the

"Yes," said he, "and my second wife 10 won't go near the water."

#### THE FAKUMEN RAILWAY.

LONDON PRESS CRITICISMS.

The history of journalism in Manila is full of the usual incidents of failure, and a number of the most auspicious beginnings have gone the way, the mysterious way, of all defunct periodicals. Our latest arrival, which we welcome and wish a more prospaper for the soldiers, a very humble-looking personality in its first dress but it has

The outhusiasm over the summer capital tung-Fakumen Railway would be de-

One of the most beneficial enterprises, Japan is justified in adhering to her own in the island is the "Postal Savings Bank" interpretation of the pro cool." which has been opened or some months, a system of saving which has been found It is disappointing to find the protocol, A project which has been lately taken

up in the "Manila Times" is that of "Bonded Zone," or free port for Manila, churian Rallway, consequently Japan's making it on a par with Hongkong. Collector Colton's opinion of the proposal is policy. - "Shanghai Moreury." that the scheme might be desirable in the United States under the conditions there existing, but what is needed in the Philippines is a "Free Zone," into which any class of murchandisc might be imported without femulity and so re-experted, which would constitute in effect a free port, Sir-, are the objects we are determined to at least upon an equal footing with Hongkong, and other free ports in the might devote a few of their very few idle The Canton Self-Government Society. East. He believes that such a "Zone" should be conducted entirely under time to become of some importance to There is mother move against the Japa. investment, thus offering to distributors of merchandise in the Fast the inducement locate in Manila and secure storage follow. That a quasi-consular officer should be appointed for the "Free Zone," entry of merchandise for consumption in the islands. He says that such a scheme is entirely feasible, and that the Philippresented to the Taotai that European

police are not permited to not so childishly and if that representation results only in the usual mandarinate gesture of polite deprecation, Wu Ta Jen might have it disclosed to him that in Kialat many Japanese reside and that a stray bullet might give him as much to think of as his dear colleagues in Canton have at the present time. Liang Taotai, our erudite Director of the Bureau of Foreign affairs, might with profit give this matter some

thought, and if possible see that rifle no be obliged to improve a sling from twine and their girdles.

both as a leading man in the literary them to clean up their places a bit and went on a strike. Happily somebody's diplomacy saved us. We have had several new arrivals-all

SWATOW NOTES.

(From Our Correspondent.)

as children in possession of new toys they

delight in performing evolutions for the

benefit of their friends and such street

idlegs as are about. The loading and

aiming, which is the principal and most

accidental shot and the possible death of

as i nocent passerby. It might be re-

Swarow, April 5.

customs mon-with the exception of Mr Giles Cathedral, Edinburgh. It is a brass Hance, the Betterfied and Swire local tablet to the memory of the officers, nonrepresentative, who returns from a holiday commissioned officers, and men of the 2nd strong for the fray.

prizes in this month's drawings of the those who were killed in the South African In the days of Vicercy Chow-fu, a sum of Macao and Hankow lotteries to the extent War of 1881, and the new tablet is within

In order that Mesers Holz, Murray, object of the Government then was to Walpole, Campain and others of the Customs staff who reside in the Swatow side Matters, however, fell through consequent may have the opportunity for a weekly

manufactories are in a lively state. The of the Europeans carry them. As some in 1881, and the first to enter it in 1900. Gift.

Washington, Feb. 20.

William T. Ellis of Philadelphia, who matches produced by the Company not cognoscenti of a foreign subject Chinese whose shop is not many miles away from

Tai Wo Match Company of Fatshan, which has been established for a number of years, has been very much taxed during the past timate with all due respect, that within a very few days, if not at the present time, and it is far from pleasant to observe that cognoscenti of a foreign subject Chinese whose shop is not many miles away from

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Lands have found further buyers at 25. in this particular article, no very large ties concerned might do a lot worse than quantity of foreign matches will be required on regulations concerning their sale, departing. retention, and display.

BEST REGULATED FAMILIES.

#### SCOTTISH LETTER.

(From Our Correspondent.)

EDINBURUH, March 7. Lospon, April 8. Commenting on the reply of Sir Edward Grey, the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, to Mr Lyttelton's question about late Marquis of Linlithgow to a friend in rounins at \$1050 and \$1150 respectively. perous fate is the "V. A. P. Sentinal," a the Fakumen Railway, the London the midst of one of the brilliant gatherings Rice market in Canton is u.changed with "Standard" says the question involves that marked his Governor-Generalship of nothing doing. important and even international issues, the Commonwealth of Australia. No doubt already a promise in its good printing, and and its settlement is likely to affect the his death was hastened by a severe accident immediate fulbre of Manchuria. Although in the hunting-field, but only those who nows of comrades, which appeal to every Japan is committed to the principle of the were of his intimate circle knew to the full Open Door in Manchuria and the re-estab- how all his life he was dogged by persis-The Philippine Commission is seen to be lishment of Chinese supremacy else- tent ill-health. The late Marquis,-per-We where than in the leased territory of the haps better known as Lord Hopetoun,-Kwantung Peninsula, there has long was born within earshot of the guns of may be accorded this important part of been an impression in some quarters that Edinburgh Castle, and his happiest days the Japanese diplomatists would find were spent in the grounds that overlook \$93,50; No. 10,50 bales at 892; No. 20, means of getting behind any promises. "Nevertheless," the "Standard" continues, now better known as Rosyth. He was the " we hope the question will be settled in a Laird of Hopetoun, he used to say, and manner leaving no possible doubt of the nothing pleased him better than a passage correctness of Japan's attitude. Even if it at arms with the Laird of Dalmeny, who could be proved that the proposed Hainminlived literally on the other side of the trimental to the Southern Manch urian Rail-

way, there remains the question whether Although from health reasons he was never prominent in politics, he was an outstanding success as Scottish Secretary at Dover House. His graceful urbanity made The London "Daily Chronicle" says :-him popular, and his tact was unfailing in all matters of delicacy. But beneath an almost silky delicacy of manner there lay a great reserve of strength and a powerful decisiveness of character.

contract with an English firm of railway The Marquis was a keen sportsman, and showed a decided preference for hunting over shooting. He hunted with the Linthere still remains the question whether lithgow and Stirlingshire Hounds, and Japan is wise in enforcing the veto, Al' often finished the season in Cheshire. the available information shows that the addition, he kept up the Hopetoun Harriers, and a small pack of beagles. It attitude seems rather dog-in-the-manger was not an unknown thing for him in the autumn to put in a morning's cub-hunting with the foxhounds, the foreneon with his harriers, and the afternoon with his bengles. He was a member of the Edinburgh Polo Club, although he seldon played on the grounds at Murrayfield, and formed an excellent polo ground at Hope-The German, French, Norwegian and Japanese Consuls who reside in Kialat

By the will of the late Lord Overtoun, moments to a pratter that is liable at any there are bequests of a public character to The Native Banks and money changers government supervision and the warehou- them. I allude to the suburban police £20,000 goes to the schemes of the United suls and quite a number of Europeans and Overtoun, and bequests to various relastorage to cover the natural deterioration Asiatics reside. From about 4 p.m. on these tives, the residue of the state is left to a valiant gendarmes are each provided with a nephow, Dr J. D. C. White, M.P., for rifle and a belt full of ballcartridges. Proud Dumbartonshire.

> Lord Newlands having declined to become a candidate for the Lord Chancellor. ship of Glasgow University, it is now practically certain that Lord Rosebery will be appointed to the office, in succession to the late Lard Kelvin.

The Lord Provest of Edinburgh and Mrs Gibson will give an "At-Home" in the Council Chambers to the Oriental students attending Edinburgh University. Over four hundred invitations have been

The death is announced of Sir John Shearer, of the well-known shipbuilding and ongineering firm of that name on the Clyde. He was a Conservative, took a prominent part in municipal work, and was identified with the two great Exhibislings are provided so that the police will tions held in his native city of Glasgow.

For a time last week it looked as though Glendon wyn Gordon, Bart., of Letter-

Another memorial has been added to the large number which adorn the walls-of St. Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers who fell in shares on the market. A good joss has been bereabouts of late the South African War. There is already and in consequence we have captured in St. Giles a small tablet in memory of firm at the end of last week, showed a too, is of historic interest, the plate being rate for the present. A few small to indicate the position of "Haddow's shares on offer buyers were not forthcom-Gordon of Hiddow, a famous Royalist in sollers at 130. Luzons remain unchanged, the Civil War, was confined before his execu- and call for no remarks. tion. The stone-work border of the tablet represents thistles, crowns, and grenades, and the demand reported last wook having FINE LAGER BRER Some considerable anxiety has existed as with the regimental badge; and there is chantshavegivenfervent promise of support. to the presence of sword sticks amongst recorded the interesting fact that the Since the Tatsu Maru II incident, native us. As for as I can ascertain none battalion was the last to leave the Transvaal with sellers at 8.10. Chinese Engineerings

> Houses of Parliament, the bone and sinew of closing are wanted to a limited extent. of the workers of our land are silently Hongkong Hotels remain out of favour,

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#### COMMERCIAL

Native reports give the following about sundries in the market. Vermicelli, , which was quoted to \$20, declined to \$17-"I have reached the summit of my at which price 60 cases were put through ambition; but what is the good of it all? I green beans rounin at \$5.30 at which price can't eat, and I can't enjoy life." These are 100 bales changed hands. 80 bales of pathetic words, and they were used by the fungus were sold at 860 per bale. Opium

> A large business was done yesterday ir the Yarn Market. According to native reports the following transactions were put through: No. 20, 50 bales at \$116; No. 10, 50 hales at \$96.50; No. 10, 50 bales at \$93.50; No 10,-5 bales at \$90.75; No. 20, 50 bales at \$116.50; No. 16, 50 50 bales at \$113; No. 10, 100 bales at \$94; No. 10, 20 bales at \$94; No 10, 50 bales

The Commission appointed at Saigon to inquire into what new taxes to levy to replace, so to speak, the opium revenue, will, shortly, send in a report. Several substitutes underwent examination, including a gambling farm and a tobacco monopoly, but the latter were put aside as inadvisable. Those in the Know say that the investigation has brought home to the members the fact that the suppression of opium smoking in Indo-China is impracticable for the present.

SHARE REPORT. In their weekly share report, dated 10th April, Messrs Vernon

The market has ruled active, and although it received a check in a weakness in Banks, and in a somewhat weaker feel. Furniture by Mr Ernest Grimson, The ing in Sugars (the firmness in which two number is an excellent one. items last week was responsible to some extent for the improvement in the wirket reported by us), a fair business ha seen transacted, and the market closes generally steady to firm. Business put through has been chiefly in the smaller stocks, the chase lends additional interest to this

time of closing sellers rule the market at lower one would be accepted. Nationals continue in demand at 51 but no shares are available, and we have heard of no saless.

sellers. Yangtses have declared a dividend of 25 per cent. for the 1906 a/c, but we have no local sales to report. Cantons Ambush knocked over the author, who was and North Chinas remain unchanged and without business.

Fire Insurances, - Hougkongs Fire have improved to 3071, after small sales at 3021 well as upon continental racing and betting. 305, the market closing with further The book has been edited by the wellbuyers at 3071. China Fires have also improved and after sales at 89, are now enquired for at 90.

Shipping -Hongkong, Canton and Macaos continue neglected, and with ti exception of small sales at 29 we have no business to report. At time of closing sellers at 201 rule the market. Douglases Another death is that of Sir Robert have changed hands at \$40, and more full on the London market to £2. 51, for Deferred shares. China Manilas have further improved to 15, and closed in demand at that rate. Star Ferries have advanced to 31, after sales at 307 to 31, and close in further demand at the higher rate. Shells have been in request all the week at 45/- to 45/6, without bringing any

slight weakness in the early part of this of something over \$50,000. The winners a few yards of the older one. The site, seems to have been reached, at any and the limit of the recent rapid advance fixed in a niche which is all that remains sales were made at 130, but with further Hole," the chamber in which Sir John ing and the market closes quiet with small

Mining.—Rauba have ruled very quiet been satisfied, we have no further sales or there appear to be no shares available, and MUNICH BEER

and are obtainable at 97 without inducing buyers to come forward. Shanghai Lands have [improved in the North to 113] with buyers, but we have heard of no local sales Docks, Whaves and Godowns,-Hong- SOLE kong and Whampoa Dock have ruled to throw off every cold you contract has risen to 1031 with sales and buyers. firmer and with a small demand the rate THE average home is frequently in need You may have done so many times before, Kowloon Wharves remain neglected at 53, THE average home is frequently in need You may have done so many nones percent, of a good liniment, as accidents will and yet the very next cold may develop into pneumonia. You cannot always tell have ruled steady in the North at 80.

Watkins, barn or scald, Chamberlain's Pain Balm is better to take precaution than to risk this rushed up in the North to 227, but at time of closing are rather quieter at 224. Cotton Mills - Ewos have advanced For sale by all chemists and storekeepers. remaining unchanged. Hongkong Cottons

have been enquired for, and after small sules at from 9 to 10 close steady at the latter rate.

Miscellaneous,-China Borneos have been placed at 11 and 10%, closing with sellers at the former rate. China Providenta have found buyers at 84 and 9, closing with buyers at the former, and sellers at the latter rate. Dairy Farms and Electrics have improved to 18 and 16, without any business to report. Ropes, Union Waters, and China Lights have advanced to 28, 11 and 6, respectively, with sales at those and at rates intermediate between them and last week's quotations. Cementa have changed hands during the week at 11 and , closing fairly steady at the higher rate. We learn that the General Managers and the Consulting Committee have decided to pay a final dividend of 75 cents. per share. Watsons have been in some domand at 10 and a fair number of shares have changed hands at that rate.

#### REVIEWS

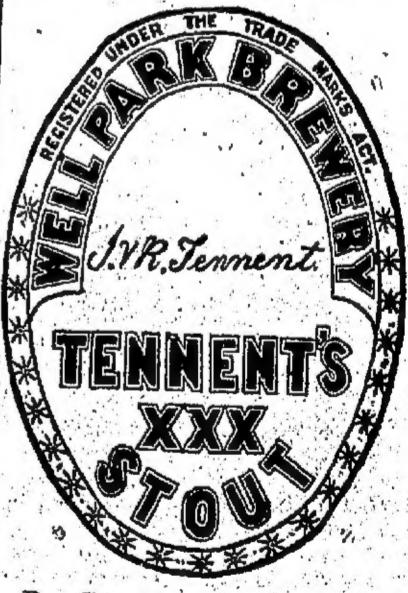
The Studio." Published at 44 Leicester Square, W. C.

The February number of this Art Journal contains many articles of interest and the issue is of great value by reason of Mr W. D. McKay's contribution Rasburn's Technique." Sir 'Henry Raeburn, who died in 1823, is without doubt the greatest portrait painter Scotland has produced, yet for half a century after his death his works had only a local reputatian, but to-day his paintings certainly rank with those Reynolds or Gainsborough. Mr McLay's article is one that should be read by those interested in portaiture of this period. Amongst other contributions we would mention Mr Fernand Khopfi's, Farnz Courtons, a Flomish Painter. Some recent designs in Domestic Architecture are represented by Mr C. E. Mallow's Plan and Skotch for a House at Hashro', and Mr Morley Horder's Plan and view of a House at Beaconsfield, and other photographs. The Exhibition of the International Art Society is fully represented in these pages, and another subject

My RACING ADVENTURES. By Arthur Nightingale. T. Werner Clifford's Inn, London.

The news of the result of the Steeplelarger and more important ones having volume, as Arthur Nightingale rode no been somewhat neglected. The better lee!- less than three winners in this event, as ing reported in our last continues, and well as riding twelve non-winners. If any there is still more of a speculative demand jocksy, therefore, is qualified to speak with than has existed for sometime. Exchange authority upon such a race it is the author on London T/T 1s. 10,5d; on Shanghai of the book under notice. He comes from a well-known racing family, he declares he Banks, -Hongkong and Shanghais: With cannot go back to the remote period when a gradual fall on the London market to Nightingales were not riding, but he men-£73. 10s. our market has ruled weak, and tions a whip which was presented to the rate fell to \$6921, without sales. At Thomas Nightingale one hundred and seventy years ago. The author treats with quotation, and it is most probable that a all his experiences and displays a great love for his equine friends. Hex, on whom Nightingale won his first Grand National, seems to have been his favourite borse, but Why Not and Grudon also have Marine Insurances. - After further small a large place in the jockey's affections. sales of Unions at 8421 the market weaken. The book is an interesting one for all who ed and some small lots were put forward at are interested in the sport of kings; it forms very light rending and gives one an insight 840, at which latter mto we quote likely into the lives of jockeys. Everyone says "unkind things" about the jockey, remarks the author, when referring to a mishap which occurred when the King's horse riding Detail in the Grand National, and Nightingale puts in a good word for his brother jockeys. Interesting remarks are made upon trials, tipsters and touts, as known sporting scribe "G. G." (Mr H. G. Harper).

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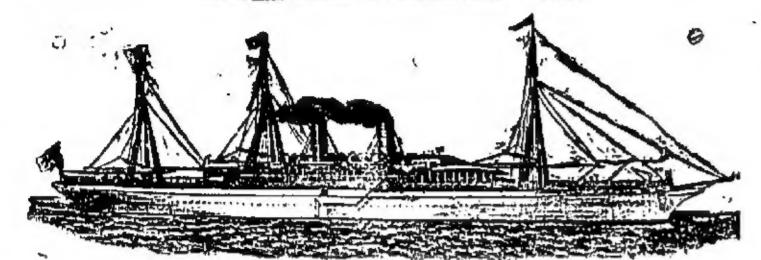
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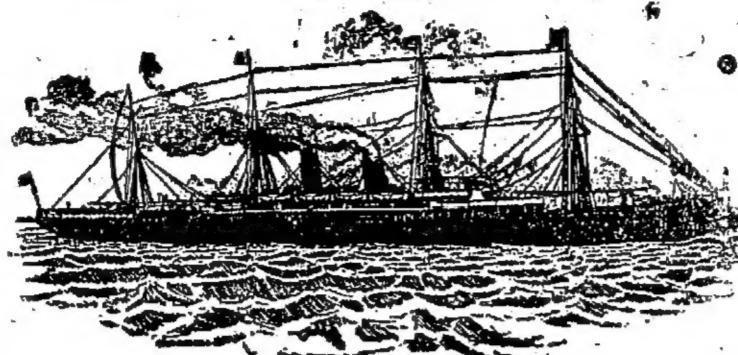
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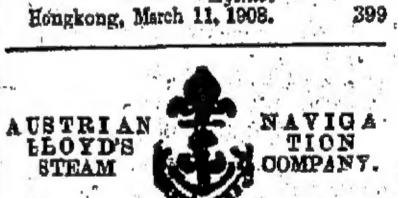
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Pears. (American),—Kam San Shut Li .. (Canton), Cooking,-Sa Li Peanuts.—Fa Sang .... Persimmons Large,-Hung Chie ... Pine-apples, 1st quality,-Sheung Poon Ti Paw Law 2nd cocking-Chung-tang-paw-law Plantains,—Tai Cheu Plums, -Swatow Hung Lai ... Pomelo, Siam,-Chim Le Yau Shanghai.—Lo Kwat Walnuts,-Hop Tuo Green,-Sang Hop Tuo Water Melon-(Am.) Rum San Sai Kwa..., -

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Secretary, Sanitary Board?

#### NOT LIKE FATHER.

Dean Hole used to tell with relish the following story :-One of the saintliest of English bishops was sitting one afternoon in a park, and got into conversation with a little maid of

about six. After ten minutes of the childish prattle, the benign old gentleman said:-"Now, my dear, I must be going. But you must help me to rise from this sent. am afraid you will find me very heavy."

"Oh, that's all right," responded the little girl, with cheerful confidence; "you ain't 'alf as drunk as wot father often is!"

SUNDAY, APRIL 12th, 1908.

#### CHURCH SERVICES. St. John's Cathedral.

BUNDAY, OTH IN LENT Holy Communion (7.30 s.m.)

Matins (11 a.m.) Responses, Ferial ; Venite, Burrowes Psalms, of the 12th morning ; Bonedicite, Hepkins, Flyay, Hopkins and -Langdon; Hymns, 90, 200 and 490 (Tune 28).

Evensong (5 45 p.m). (Full Choic) Responses, Ferial: Pealms, of the 12th evening: Magnificat and Nune Di mittis, Wesley in F ; Anthom, "Behold the Lamb of God," Handel; Hymns, 99 and 94. Sevenfold Amen. N.B. Psalm 66, Vurses 1, 7, 11, 16 in unison; Pselm 67, Vorses 5, and G. P. in unison

Voluntary, Fantasia, Fugue in G miner,

#### UNION CHURCH

Kennedy Road.

Minister : Rev. C. H. Hickling. Sunday 11 em. Worship, Hymn 49, Psalm 38 (fune 95th Hymns 551

Noon: -Meeting of Church Committee & p.m. Sunday Schools. 8 p.m. - Worship, Hymn 37, Paslm 81, (Tune 583), Hymns 169, 49, 351. Friday 8 pm Phristian Epdeavour Se ciety. Subject "The two fold Sa

critice. Sunday. Easter Services Victors Ser mon in the evening

St Andrew's, Kowloon. (Robinson Road, nest British School, Services on Sundays :--Holy Communion at noon (1st and 5th

Sundays of month) at 8 s.m. (2nd and 4t Sundays of month). at 7 p.m. (3rd Sundays). Morning prayer and sermon :- at 11 a.m. Evening prayer and sermon : -at 6 p.m. On Wednesdays :-

Shortened Evening Service (with address or reading) at 6 p.m. followed by Congregational Choir Practice at 6,45

Children's Services, monthly, on 3rd Sundays at 3 p.m., followed by Holy Baptism (when necessary) at 4 p.m. Sunday School on all other Sundays at 3 p.m. except during the summer months.

#### St. Peter's Church, Queen's Road West.

SUNDAY NEXT REPORE EASTER. Holy Communion 7.30 a.m. Morning Prayer 11 a.m.

Venite, Anonymous; Te Deum, Woodward : Benedictus, Cooke ; Hymns, 115, 118, 593, 538. Evening Prayer 6.30.

Magnificat, Crotch; Nunc Dimittis. Dyce : Hymns, 114, 118, 594, 105. The Church launch "Dayspring," will call on ships carrying white craws to bring friends ashore to the services between 9.15 and 10.30 a.m. and between 5.15 and 8 p.m. (Kowloon Police Pier 10.30 and 6), returning afterwards. All the sittings are free and unappropriated, Visitors welcome. Books &c., provided.

Wesleyan Church. Wanchai Divine Service:-10.15 a.m. 6 p.m.

Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Arsenal Street. Man's Bibla Class : 2.30 p.m. Gospel Meeting: -8 p.m.

Peak Church. Holy Communion :- 8 2.m.

Deutsche Kirche. Gottendienst :-- um 11 Uhr. in Bethesd Kapelle, Caine Road. Christian Science Services. York Buildings, Chater Road, -Sundays,

11.15 a.m.; Wednesdays, 5.30 p.m.

St Joseph's Church. Mass, Sermon (English) and Benediction at 10 a.m.

Rosary Church, Kowloon. In future there will be two Divine Services in the Resary Church, Kowloon, on Sundays and Obligation days ; First Mass at 7 s.m., Second Mass at 9 s.m. followed by the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

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#### To-day's Advertisements



HONOKONG. IN BANKRUFTCY

Notice of Composition.

No. 38 of 1906. Ro The Wing Ki Chrong Firm, lately carrying on business at No. 216. Des

Colony of Hongkong, Wholesale Doctor and Stewardess. Medicine Dealers. TOTICE is hereby given that a Composition of twenty-five per cent as approved by the Court on the 2nd day of April, 1908, has been declared in the above matter and the same may be received at the

Official Receiver's Office on Wednesday, the 15th day of April, 1908, between thehours THE Steamship of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., and on any subsequent day during Office hours. Oreditors applying for payment must produce any bills of exchange or other securities held by them and must sign a receipt in the prescribed form.

G. H. WAKEMAN, Official Receiver & Trustee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

IN BANKRUPTOY.

Re The YAT SHING LOONG Firm, Intely Mr S. C. de Bussierre Mr B. L. Packer Goods Dealers.

Re LAN WING alias LAN WING IP trading

No. 5 of 1908.

Re Hennear Stephens, lately carrying Mr C. W. F. ElsworthMr C. de Rauglade on business under the style of Ho- Mr H. D. Fitzgerald Mr and Mrs W. D. ward & Co., at No. 33, Queen's Mr J. M. Forbes Raven Road Central, Victoria aforesaid, Mr C. B. Franklin Mr E. H. Ray Merchant.

Re THE YUEN ON COMPANY Of No. 19, tractors.

Re Wong Hing, lately of No. 6, Canal Mr T. Hedworth Street, Victoria aforesaid, Engineer- Mr. H. K. Henderson Mr. T. Walton ing Fitter.

ing on business at stall, No. 47, Central Market, Victoria aforesaid. Compradores.

the 16th day of April, 1908, at Il o'clock in the forenoon, has been fixed for the Public Examination of the above named Debtors at the Supreme Court. Dated this 10th day of April, 1908, G. H. WAKEMAN Dr F. Keyt

Official Receiver.

### To-day's Advertisements

BANK HOLIDAYS.

N accordance with the Provisions of Ordinance No 6 of 1875 the EX-CHANGE BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on GOOD FRIDAY and EASTER MONDAY, the 17th and 20th instant. Hongkong, April 11, 1908.

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will be Rewarded.—H. A. SIEBS, Vic-toria Lodge, Peak Road, or c/o Sieussen &

Hongkong, April 11, 1908.

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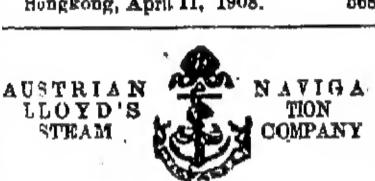
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Captain . F. SEMBILL, (ready to load on THURSDAY afternoon, the 16th inst.), will leave on SATURDAY, the 18th instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

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Agents. Hongkong, April 11, 1908.



STEAM TO SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

THE Company's Steamship

Captain Petrus, will leave for the above places on SUNDAY, the 19th inst., a.m. This steamer has applied accommodation Vosux Road West, Victoria, in the for Passengers, Electric Light, carries a For Freight or Passage, apply to SANDER, WIELER & Co.,

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FOR SAN FRANCISCO, VIA PORTS. CLAN MACMILLAN,

will sail for the above ports early in May. For freight, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., Agenta Hongkong, April 11, 1908.

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Dated this 10th day of April, 1908. VISITORS AT HOTELS,

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Mr J. L. Harrison

Mr E. Bornand



HONGKUNG.

Notice of Public Examinations. No. 51 of 1907.

Re CHAN TEO SHEUNG, lately carrying on business at Nos. 29 and 30, Des Mr T. Brayfield Voeux Road Central (2nd floor), Mr F. G. Brighton Mr and Mrs W. F. under the style of Wing Wo & Co., Mr G. L. Brighton Neighbour Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Mr B. Brown Coal Merchants.

No. 3 of 1908.

carrying on business at No. 6, Mer- Mr C. Calisti cer Street, Victoria aforesaid, Piece Mr E. W. Carpenter Dr and Mrs W. W.

No. 4 of 1908.

Mr H. E. Colvin Mr and Mrs J. J.Mr A. W. Polglase under the style or firm name of Mrs John Cooper Hang Wo Wing Kee, at No. 44, Des | Mr M. Courtney Vœux Road West, Victoria aforesaid, Mr W. A. Crake Grocer and General Merchant. Mr A. H. Crook Mr J. Cruickshank Mr J. Quin

Gage Street, Victoria aforesaid, Con- | Capt. T. Hall

Mr R. Mr Joseph Mr J. D. Woods Re THE WAY TAY CHAN WO KEE Firm Mr and Mrs E. S.Mrs Youdon and CHAN NOAN PING, lately carry-

Mr F. Arnold Mr J. W. Bains TOTICE is hereby given that Thursday, Mr W. B. Boyce Mr F. T. Chapple Mr F. H. Robinson Me and Mrs A. CMr R. Taylor Wrs Gastner & child Mr D. W. Towns Mr J. C. Hamilton Mr A. Uschminn

### SHIPPING

arrivals. 'April 10.

Den of Airlie, British steamer, 2,271, Cumming, Antwerp Feb. 10, and Singapore April 4, General - Messacenes Mari-

Knivsberg, German str., 646, D. Henk, Pakhoi April 6, and Hoihow 9, General. — Jessen & Co.

Ulv, Norwegian str., 885, J. Pederson, Saigon April 5, Ricand Paddy,—AAGAARD, THORESEN & Co. A N IRISH TERRIER DOG. Answers Carl Diederichen, German steamer, 774, to the name of LOUIS. Finder T. Kayser, Haiphong April 8, Rice.—

JEBSEN & Co. Kageshima Maru, Japaneso str., 3,372, George T. Afakawa, Bombay and Singapore April . General .- NIPTON YUSEN KIISHA. Chipshing, British str., 1,109, Frank

Mooney, Tientain April 5, General. -JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Fukushu Mara, Japanese, str., 1,090, T. Ito, Anping, via Amoy and Swatow April

Mandasan Marit, Japanese str., 3,451, Nagatsu, Kuchinetzu April 0, Coal .- M. Shoshu Maru, Japanese steamer, 999. Robinson Road, Kowloon. T. Fuseno, Feeshow April 9.-O. S. K. Eiger, Norwegian str., 876, Nielson, Swatow April 10,-ORDER.

> Nirvana, French yacht, 460, Eorard, Marseilles Feb. II, and Saigon April 7. Astrona, British cruiser, from Amoy.

DEPARTURES. April 11. America Maru, for Shangkii and San Francisco.

Pasting, for Amoy. Wye, for Yokohana. Levanco, for Singapore and Bombav. Rowloon, for Canton. Haiching, for Systow. A esia, for Moji and Portland, Or. Kivelyang, for Usaton. Loongsang, for Mapila.

Fooksang, for Calcutta. CLEARED

 $oldsymbol{H}$ eim, for  $oldsymbol{\mathsf{Bangkqk}}$  . Jacob Diederichies, for Hothew. Kageshima Maru, for Shanghal. Telemachus, for sigon. Triumph, for Haiphong. Singan, for Hollow. Den of Airlie, for Shanghai. Matilda Korner, for Hongay. Chipshing, for Canton.

Kaifong, for Amoy.

PASSENGERS DEPARTED.

Per America Maru, for San Francisco. &c., Mrs M. J. Parkhurst, Miss M. Eaton Miss G. Clawiter, Miss E. Hicks, Mrs E. P. Houston and son, Mr Frank T. Reising. The Boston S. S. Co.'s a.s. Tremont sails Mr H. N. Waterman, Mr and Mrs J. R. McKillot, Mr and Mrs L. J. Grave, Mr and Mrs F. B. Willard, Mr and Mrs Do Weese, Mrs W. H. Bradley, MrsA. Rodger, Lt. W. M. Bell, Mrs Ashworth, Mrs R. J. son, Mrs S. V. Parks, Lt. R. Pagett, Mr. and Mrs Cooksen, Mr. F. Hagens, Mr Roswell, Mr and Mr.F. G. Reens, Mr J. B. Lord, Mrand Mrs8, C. Parry and child, Mr. Roche, Mr W. Sindford, Mr W.O David. Sir S, and Lidy Sadler, Mrs G. Potter, Messrs J. A. Hayward, H. R. Hermans, W Cristy, Mr and Mrs R. L. Marston, Mrs H. C Turner, Mr W. H. Wilson, Rev. The steamship Zofiro left Manils on Satur and Mrs H. H. Hanna and child, Mrs Tauer Mrs Bodsnasky, Lt. Col. G. H. B. Gimlett, Miss N. Barraclaugh, Mr H. C. Christensen, Mr H. B. Helms, Mr J. C. The N. Y. K. s.s. Nikko Mara (Austra Scott, Mr and Mrs C. F. Michels, Hon. C. A. Reynolds, Mr and Mrs R. S. Phelps, Mr and Mrs J. J. Walton, Miss L. Walton, Miss L. Kenyon, Mr R. B. Gregory, Mr and Mrs W. M. Watson and child, Mrs Saide Huless, Mr.F. Heintz, Mr Kobusch, Mr Thos. M. Little, Mrs E Wallace, Messrs H. F. Krol, C. Alberiz, J. Parr, E. Hutchieson, T. Gribayetoff, A. H. | Hanavy, S. S. Ribald, F. F. Hooper, and Comdr. R. C. Smith.

### POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Mails will close:— For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUL Per Daijin Maru, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 12th April.

For AMOY & SHANGHAL. Per Nanchang at S p.m., on Monday, the 13th April. For TIENTSIN .-For Chipshing at 3 p.m., on Monday,

the 13th April. For SHANGHAL-Fee Hangsang, at 3 p.m., on Monday, the 13th April. M J. A. McDowell,

For KOBE. Per Shakano Maru, at 5 pm., on Monday, the 13th April. For SWATOW, SINGAPORE & BANG. Per Samsen, at 9 a.m., on Tuesday, the

For MOJI, KOBE & SAN FRANCISCO. Per Bessie Dollar, at 10 a.m., on Tuesday, the 1th April. For BANGKOK,-Per Bangkok, at 1 p.m., on Tuesday, the 14th April.

14th April.

For SHANGHAL MOJI, KUBE, YUK-KAICHI, YOKOHAMA, VICTORIA The H. A. L. s.s. Penegambia left Sixxs & SEATTLE. Per Tosa Maris, at 3 p.mi., on Tuesday, the 14th April. For MANILA .-

14th April For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CO-LOMBO. the 14th April.

Per Tuming, at 8 p.m., on Tuesday, the

Wednesday, the 15th April For CALLAO (Peru). Per Chatham, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, the 15th April. For SINGAPORE, PENANG, & CAL-OUTTA.

the 15th April. DARMON HOTEL. Mr H. Helma Mr Abina Mr & Mrs Warrington | Mr B. Ayris Mr and Mr Hewett Mr & Mrs BeandsuinMr and Mrs Jenkins Mr Bolden Mrs Lafferty Mr O. Dale Mr R. A. Lowry Capt. & Mra Merlees Mr Edward E. Miss J. Møyer Mr and Mrs Mr H. Nito Ferguson Miss A. Peacock Mr Ferry

Mr Fowler

Mr Ginkel

Mr M. Fuht

Mr Wm Pringle Mr A. Gardenker Mr H. E. Rigge Mr & Mrs O. Rozello Mr C. Gierlot Col. Gimlette Mr Rutherford Mr J. Scott Capt. & Mrs Eweet Mr A. S. Groby Mr H. Guillauna Mr and Mn Thunblot MrTheodor HarriplelMr J. S. White:

Mr J. H. Phelp

STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL. SUPPLIED BY REUTER!

March 3, Benalder. March 10, Denbigshire, Den of Airlie, lilesia (Ger). March 18, Alcinous, Oceanien, Titan. March 17, Senegambia, hrknudson,

March 20, Aushalien, Glaucus, Oanfa, Kanagawa Maru, Poona, Koran, March 24, Benavon, Rhenania, Saxonia, Anchenarden, Chingroo, Laertes, Shimosa, Amiral Duperre, St. Dunstan. March 27, Brigavia, Canton, Diomed, Bumatra, Jeseric, Muchaon, Hatuna,

April 3, Goeben, Candia, Palma, Yarra, olombo Maru, Kawachi Maru, Yangteze. April 7, Benarty, Flintshire, Indrasam-Triesk, Ellen Rickmers, Nubia, St. April 10, Agamemnon, Ceylon, Scandia, Socotra, Stentor, Tonkin, Hakala Maru,

Peleus, Petronia. ARRIVALS AT HOME. April 10, Gange, Goeben, Rhenania.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The M. M. Co.'s steamer Australien with the FRENCH MAIL of the 13th March. and the supplementary mail from London of the 14th March, left Saigon on Friday, the 10th April, at I p.m., and may be expected here onor about Monday, the 13th April. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 8th February.

The P. M. S. S. China sailed from Yokohama on April 4th, and will be due to arrive at this port from San Francisco via Japan Ports and Shanghai on April 14th.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Lennox left Yokohams on Monday afternoon, the 6th April, for Victoria and Vancouver.

Expected.

The s.s. Gregory Apcar from Calcutta, left Singapore on the afternoon of 6th April, and may be expected here on or about the 12th April.

The Glen Line s.s. Glenearn left Singapore on the 8th April, and may be expected to arrive here on the 13th April. The s.s. Denbighshire left Singapore on Wednesday morning, the 8th April, and is due here on or about Tuesday

afternoon, the 14th April. The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Japan left Sings pore for this port on the 7th April atl p.m. The Barber, Line s.s. Suruga left Ne York for China and Japan on bt

The Boston S. S. Co.'s s.s. Kumeric les Scattle on the 31st March. The Barber Line s.s. Dacre Castle le New York on 29th March

McKenzie, Lt. Col. and Mrs C. C. Ander- The N. Y. K. s.s. Kumano Mani (Austre lian Line) left Manila for this por on the 11th April, and is expected , here on the 13th April.

here on the 16th April. The N.Y. K. s. s. Shinano Maru (America Line) left Kobe for this part via Mo; and Shanghaion the 10th April, an is expected here on the 19th April.

The Austrian Lloyd's s.s. China left Siz gapore for this port on the 10th April and is due here on the 16th April. l'as Imp. Germas Mail e.s. Prinz Eite Friedrich carrying the Gorman Mail with dates from Berlin of the 24th March, left Colombo on Friday, th 10th April, p.m., and may be expected

here on or about Tuesday, the 21s April. The Imp. German Mail s.s. Prinz Sigis mund left Sydney on Thursday, th 9th April, at 10 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Saturday

The tide table given below has been compiled at the Nautical Almanac Office Per Tamba Maru, at b p.m., on Tuesday, in London from the result of the analysis of observations taken by means of an au For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. tomatic tide-recording machine in the Wa i'er Kumand Maru, at 11 a.m.; on ter Police Basin at Tsim Sha Tsui durin

the years 1887-8-9.

The zero of the table corresponds wit the zero of the soundings in the Admirait; Charts which has been found to be 4 fee 3 inches below mean sea level. To obtain the depth of water on the tid gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add Per Laisang, at 2 p.m., on Wednesday, leot 4 inches, and on the gauge at Lamon Dock, Aberdeen, add 10 feet 6 inches t the height given is the table.

> LOW WATER. HIGH WATER Hongkong Ress Time B.g. Hongkons Mean Height, feat. 4.7 5.8 4.9 n n n n 8 35 3.0 3.0 Wert. 1.6 2.5 3.7 2.0 1.9 16 m 9 16 7. 16 m 9 15 5.8 9 33 a 6.2 17 m 9 36 6.2 16 18 a 6.0 18 m 10 1 6.5 ns 3 11 3 21 n m 3 40 to 4 0 b

#### Vessels Advertised as Loading.

| DESTINATION.   | - Vissela.                           | AGENTS,                 | DATE OF LEAVING.     |  |
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|  |                                      |                         |                      |  |
| moy & Shanghal   | Nanchwang (a)                        | Butterfield & Swire.    | Apr. 21, at dip.m.   |  |
| lustralian Ports   | Empire (s)                           | dibb, Livingston & Co.  | Apr. 25. at Noon.    |  |
| loston & New York.   | Sikh (a)                             | Dodwell & Co.Limited    | April 28.            |  |
| loast Porte & Shanghai   | Shoshu Maru (a)                      | Osaka Shosen Kalsha     | Apr. 16, at 10 a.m.  |  |
| surope, dza  | Prinz Regent Luitpold                | Melchers & Co           | Apr. 22, at Noon.    |  |
| Inihai & Wainhaus  | Persia (s)                           | Sander, Wieler & Uo.    | About April 21.      |  |
| Herrea T. dorn A form &  | Singan (a)                           | Butterneld & Swire      | Apr. 12, at9a.m.     |  |
| Indet and Sandakan   | Glenturret(e)                        | McGregor Dros. & Co     | April 20,            |  |
| Koha & Yokohama  | Prinz Sigismund (s)                  | Malahara & Co           | Apr. 18, at 9 a.m.   |  |
| Kobe and Yokolama  | Kanagawa Maru (s)                    | Nimon Vucon Kalaha      | Applied Design       |  |
| London, &c   | Malta (a)                            | P. & O. S. N. Ca        | April 19 at Noon     |  |
| Mar., L'don, A'erp &c.   | Pera (a)                             | P. & O. S. N. Co        | About April 98       |  |
| plania   | Yuonsang (a)                         | Jardine, M'son & Oo. Lo | Apr. 17. st 4 n.m.   |  |
| Manua ,  | Loongsaur (s)                        | Jardine M'son&Co. Lx    | Apr. 24 at 4 nm      |  |
| Dianila  | Zafiro (al                           | Shewan, Pomes & Co.     | Apr. 18 at Noon      |  |
| mantia   | Rubi (e)                             | Shewan, Tomes & Co.     | Ann Oh at Moon       |  |
| mania ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,  | Taming (a)                           | Butterfield & Swire     | Any 14 at 4 mm       |  |
| Manila   | Tean (a)                             | . Butterfield & Svire   | Arm Ol at A mm       |  |
| oladiia, A'iian Porta  | Nikko Marti (b)                      | Nippon Yusen Kaisha     | April 17 of Woon     |  |
| Manile, Allan Ports.   | Changaha (a)                         | Hutterfield & Swire     | April 21, at 4 p.m.  |  |
| Marcailles w Reisen  | Prinz Waldemar (s).                  | Dielchors & Uo          | Apr. 23, at 5 p.m.   |  |
| Muz Tidon & Alem &c  | Tourses (s)                          | Missan Vesan Voiche     | apr. 14, at 1 p.m.   |  |
| New York   | Tamba Maru (a)<br>Tudor Prince (a)   | Ambald Rashmar C        | Abru 15, Daylight,   |  |
| New York v. Sner Cana  | Lowther Castle (8)                   | Sharran Tomas & Co      | About April 21.      |  |
| N'saki, Kobe & Yhami   | Kumano Maru (8)                      | Ninnan Vngan Kalaha     | About Blay 31,       |  |
| San F'elsco via Japan  | Siberia (a)                          | Pacific Mail S.R. Co.   | April 19 of Moon.    |  |
| Ban Francisco v. Japan   | Chips (8)                            | Pacific Mail S.S. Co.   | April 26 at Norn     |  |
| can Prancisco V. Japai   | Manchuria (8)                        | Pacific Mail S.S. Co    | May 2. Daylight.     |  |
| can i rancisco V. Japai  | BiNippon Maru (a)                    | Tovo Kisen Kalsha       | Mar Q at many        |  |
| San Francisco v. Japan   | Asia (e)                             | O. & O. S.S. Co         | May 16 Noon.         |  |
| Seattle, v. S'hai Japa   | Minuesota (a)                        | Nippon Yusen Kaisha     | April Art Noon:      |  |
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| Onal, Lone & Tham  | a Australien (a)                     | Messageries Maritime    | S About April 13.    |  |
| Rhanghal   | China (a)                            | Bauder, Wieler & Co     | April 19, a.m.       |  |
| Shanghal   | Yochow (a)<br>Oceana (a)             | D & O C N C. NWITE,     | Apr. 21, at 4 p.m.   |  |
| Shanghal   | Hangsang (s)                         | fording Wood Man        | About April 16-      |  |
| S'pore. Penang & O'ti  | A Laisang (8)                        | Jardine M'eont Co I     | diapr. 13, au 4 p.m. |  |
| Shanghai, Moji & Kob   | Rutsang (s)                          | Jardine, M'son& Co. I.  | d Mar 1 tot Noon     |  |
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| o mar moli rzope i m   | B Japan (8)                          | P. & O. S. N. Co        | About Apr. 14        |  |
| o pore, Cr bo or b bay   | 7- Totomi Maru (s)                   | Nippon Vrisen Kaish:    | Ann 17 Davilohi      |  |
| Tientain   | Chipshing (s)                        | Jardine, M'son& Co, I   | d Apr. 13, at 4 p.m. |  |
| Tientein   | Kueichow (a)                         | Butterfield & Swire.,   | . Apr. 21, at 4 p.m. |  |
| T care o mosti charn   | RITEMOTALE (B)                       | Butterneld & Swife      | !Ant. 15. at 4 n.m.  |  |
| Victoria, B.O., Tacom  | la Kumerio(a)                        | Dodwell & Co. Limite    | d May 14             |  |
| Victoria B C Santa   | Shawmut (8)                          | . Dodwell & Co., Ld.,   | May 30,              |  |
| Vancourage (DA) A.   | le Tosa Maru (s)                     | Nippon Yusen Kaishi     | Apr. 14, at 4 p.m.   |  |
| Vancouver, (R.O.) &  | o. Montesgle (a)                     | Consider Pro R. C.      | niAprii 22, at Noon  |  |
| Vancouver (RC)   | Empress of Japan (8)<br>Glenfarg (8) | Canadian Dia D C        | Mor 20 at 1 p.m.     |  |
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| SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.  |                                      |                         |                      |  |

|         | afternoon, the 14th April.   |  |                                    | 797          |   |  |
|---------|--|--|------------------------------------|--------------|---|--|
| he      | P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Japan left Singa-   | SHARE L  | IST                                | -QUC         | TAT   | TONS.  |
|         | pore for this port on the 7th April, at 1 p.m.   | . ` ` _  |                                    | 11, 1998.    |   | ,  |
| he      | Barber, Line s.s. Suruga left New  |  |                                    |              |   | The second   |
|         | York for China and Japan on 5th  | Stocks.  | No. of Shares                      | Value.       | Paid  | Cionno Quotations  |
| ha      | April.  Boston S. S. Co.'s s.s. Kumeric left   | PANES.   |                                    |              | - 42p.  | Gash.  |
|         | Scattle on the 31st March.   | Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.   | 120,000                            | <b>9</b> 125 | all   | {\$692}. tellers<br>£73.10   |
| he      | Barber Line s.s. Dacre Castle left   | National Bank of China, Limited  | 99,925                             | £ 7          | € 6   | \$51, buyers   |
|         | New York on 29th March. Boston S. S. Co.'s a.s. Tremont sailed   | MARINE INSURANCES.   | 10.000                             | 8 250        | e 50  | \$240, reliers   |
| 16      | from Yokohama for Pacific Coast on   | Canton Insurance Office Co., Id<br>China Traders Insurance Co., Id   | 24,000                             | \$8.88       | \$ 25   | \$91, buyers   |
|         | 28th March.  | North-China Insurance Co., Ld  | 10,000                             | £ 15         | £ 5   | Tis. 81, hayers  |
| _       |  | Union Insurance Society, Limited   | 10,000                             |              | & TOO   | \$842. sellers<br>  \$147.<br>  \$137.   |
|         | Latest Advices.  | Yangtaze Insurance Association Ed.   | 8;000                              | \$ 100       | ₩ 60°   | (\$137€  |
| 10      | N. Y. K. s.s. Kumano Mani (Austra-   | PRE INSURANCES.  | 20,000                             | 100          | ). 69<br>3  | 890, sales   |
|         | lian Line) left Manila for this port<br>on the 11th April, and is expected   | China Fire Insurance Co., Ld.,   | 0.000                              |              |   | \$3074, buyers   |
|         | here on the 13th April.  | POCKS, ETC.  | 50.000                             | \$ 50        | 12  | \$103}, sales & boyers   |
|         | N. Y. K. s.s. Tamba Maru (European   | R'keng & Whampea Dock Co., Ld:   | 16,000                             |              | 0.000   | \$13, sellers  |
|         | Line) left Shanghai for this port on<br>the 10th April, and is expected here on,   | Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited  |                                    | _            | *   |  |
|         | the 13th April.  | New Amoy Dock Co., Ltd   | 10.000<br>55.700                   |              | Tla100  | \$10<br>Tls. 80, buyers  |
| 10      | steamship Zofiro left Manila on Satur-   | TEAMBOATS, TUGS, ETC.  |                                    |              |   |  |
|         | day morning the 11th April, and is due here on or about Monday, the  | Ohina and Manils S. S. Co., Ld   | SC,000                             | <b>8</b> 45  | \$ 25   | \$151, buyera  |
|         | 18th April, at 6 p m.  | Douglas Steamship Co., Limited.  | 20,000                             |              | all   | \$40, buyers   |
| 0       | N. Y. K. s.s. Nikko Muru (Austra-  | H.R. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Ld.  | 80,000                             |              |   | \$292, uplers  |
|         | lian Line) left Nagasaki for this port i<br>on the 11th April, and is expected here  | Indo-China S. N. Company, Ltd.   | 80,000                             |              | اله   | \$24   |
|         | on the 14th April.   | Star Ferry Or capany, Lat.   | 10,000                             | £ 10         | 8 . 10  |  |
| ie      | N. Y. K. s s. Kanagawa Maru (Ku-   |  | <b>10,0</b> 00                     | E 1          |   | 1 \$15 4<br>45, buyers   |
|         | ropean Line) left singapore for this   | Takes True and Lighton Co. Ltd.  | 8,600                              | TI6. 50      | Tls. 50   | Tis. 474   |
|         | port on the 10th April, and is expected here on the 10th April.  | Shanghai Tug and Lighter Co., Ld.  | <b>200,</b> 000<br><b>100,0</b> 00 | Tts. 50      | Tte. 50   | Tls. 444<br>Tls. 49  |
|         | N.Y. K. s. s. Shinano Maru (American   | do. Preference. S  |                                    |              | •   |  |
|         | Line). left Kobe for this part via Moji  | China Sugar Company, Limited   |                                    |              |   | \$130, hayes   |
|         | and Shanghaion the 10th April, and   | Luzon Sugar Company, Limited   | 7,000                              | T            |   | C15<br>Cir. 70   |
|         | is expected here on the 19th April.  | WHARVER.   |                                    |              |   |  |
| 1e      | Austrian Lloyd's s.s. China left Sin-<br>gapore for this port on the 10th April,   | H.R. & Kow. Whati& Godown Jo   | 60,000                             |              | Manage and Application of the Parket State of | \$63, sellers  |
|         | and is due here on the 16th April.   | Shanghal and Hongkew Wharf Co  | <b>32,0</b> 00                     | Lia. 100     | Tle100  | Ths. 224, buyers.  |
| 10      | Imp. German Mail s.s. Prinz Eitel  | CAND AND BUILDING.   |                                    |              | -   |  |
|         | Friedrich carrying the Gorman Mails  | Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited   | <b>50,000</b>                      | \$ 100       | 100   | 199, buyers  |
|         | with dates from Berlin of the 24th March, left Colombo on Friday, the  | Shanghai Land Investment Co.   | 78,000                             | Tle: 50      | Tle.50  | Tla. 1135  |
|         | 10th April, p.m., and may be expected  | Limited  |                                    | -            |   | •  |
|         | here on or about Tuesday, the 21st April.  | Kowloon Land and Building Com-   | 6,000                              | \$ 50        | \$ 30   | \$26, luvers   |
|         | Imp. German Mail s.s. Prinz Sigis-   | pany, wei Land & Building Co   | 3,674                              | Tla. 25      | Tla.25  | Tia. 9   |
|         | mund left Sydney on Thursday, the  | Humphreys Estate & Finance Co<br>West Point Building Co., Limited  | 12.500                             | 8 10<br>8 50 | \$ 50   | \$10, buyers   |
|         | 9th April, at 10 p.m., and may be  | TRANWAYS.  | 25,000                             | \$ 10        | : •11 0   | f \$13 "   |
|         | expected here on or about Saturday, the 2nd May.   | The Peak Tramwiya Uo., Ltd   | 50,000                             | 10           | 8 1   | ₹2.  |
|         | N. Y. K. s.s. Tolomi Maru (Bombay  | bitking.   |                                    | - 4-7-5      |   | Area lunna   |
|         | Line) left Moil for this port on the   | Société Francise des Charbon-  |                                    | F. 250       |   | f510, bayers   |
|         | 10th April, and is expected here on the 10th April.  | Ranb Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ld   | 200,000                            | g            | 18/10   | \$8, hi yers   |
| 10      | steamship Swazi left Singapore on  | HOTEIS, ETC.   | 12,000                             |              | all   | \$97. eellers  |
|         | Thursday, the 9th April, and is due here on Wednesday, the 15th April, at  | Hougkong Hote Company, Ltd<br>Astor House Hotel Co., Ltd. (S'hai)  | 20.000                             |              | \$ 25   | \$221  |
|         | noop.  | LISPERSARIES.  | 4 4 2 10                           |              | 200   | 910  |
|         | silk ex C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of China which left Hongkorg on the  | A. S. Watson & Co., Limited  | 90,600<br>10,000                   |              | \$ 10<br>R 10   | \$2 <u>i</u>   |
|         | 12th March and Yokohama on 19th  | Watkins Limited  | 13.3                               | y # 11       | 5. 1 1.   |  |
|         | March 1903, strived in New York on   | H.R. and China Gas Co., Lamited  | 7,000<br>8,000                     |              |   | \$175<br>Tle, 108  |
|         | Tuesday the 7th April thus making a transit of 26 days from Hongkong and   | Shanghai Gas Company, Ltd  | 60,000                             |              | £ 10  | \$16, bayers   |
|         | 19 days from Yokohams.   | Hongkong Electric Co., Limited   | 100 000                            | 10           | 40  | 2111. siles & buyers   |
|         | H. A. L. s.s. Fenegambia left Singa-   | Green Island Cament Co., Ld  | 400,000<br>10,000                  |              |   | \$150  |
|         | may be expected here on the 16.h   | Hongkong Milling, Co., Ltd   | 8,604                              |              | 12/8  |  |
|         | April, T.m   | Limited  | 0,000 ord,)                        | 19           | 191   | \$11, huyers   |
| -       |  | Abither Venestre Assessed 6  | 100Hder                            | 8 10         | 8 - 10  | \$150 huyers   |
|         | Hongkong Tides.  | The offered and the state of th | 50,000                             | 8 10         | <b>1</b> 0  | \$11, buyers<br>\$18, buyers   |
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